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IN RESPONSE REFTEL (A) FOLLOWING RECEIVED FROM EXTAF
DECEMBER 5: QUOTE FURTHER TO YOUR LETTER OF NOVEMBER 23 I
WISH TO POINT OUT THAT THE PROCEDURES ADOPTED BY THE FOOD
AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE
USUAL MARKETING REQUIREMENTS PROVIDED THAT INNERQUOTE THE
SUPPLYING COUNTRY APPROACHED WILL ATTEMPT TO CALCULATE
THE STATISTICAL FIGURE REPRESENTING THE TOTAL COMMERCIAL
IMPORTS OF THE COMMODITY CONCERNED BY THE REQUESTING COUNTRY
IN A REPRESENTATIVE PERIOD OF YEARS, WHICH SHOULD NORMALLY
BE THE PRECEDING 5 YEARS. TO HELP ARRIVE AT A STATISTICAL
BASIS AS ACCURATE AS POSSIBLE, FAO WILL BE PREPARED
TO FURNISH MEMBER NATIONS WITH BASIC TRADE STATISTICS,
INCLUDING A BREAKDOWN ACCORDING TO TYPES OF TRANS-
ACTIONS RELATING TO THE COMMODITY AND COUNTRY CONCERNED
END INNERQUOTE IN THE INTERESTS OF ACCURACY, CANADA
AS WELL AS MANY OTHER CSD MEMBERS HAS BEEN USING
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INTERNATIONAL WHEAT COUNCIL FIGURES IN THE CALCULATION

OF UMR PROPOSALS FOR WHEAT FOR MANY YEARS. THE
PRINCIPLES PROVIDE THAT THE CALCULATION WILL BE MADE BY
THE SUPPLYING COUNTRY, AND DO NOT SPECIFY THAT THE
CALCULATIONS SHOULD BE BASED ON FIGURES SUPPLIED
THE THE REQUESTING COUNTRY UNQUOTE.
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